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Water conservation request issued for Hanalei, Kilauea, Eleele and Hanapepe customers

HANALEI – The Department of Water (DOW) has issued an immediate water conservation request for customers in Hanalei, Kilauea, Eleele and Hanapepe until further notice. Electrical power issues are affecting the water system's remote sites and pump stations have not been able to replenish the water supply in the Hanalei, Kilauea, Eleele and Hanapepe storage tanks. These remote sites are inaccessible due to the inclement weather and DOW crews are working to gain access to those areas. Residents and business are asked to limit water use to essential needs only; such as drinking, cooking and sanitation purposes, in order to avoid a full water outage.

Water conservation measures include refraining from car washing, turning off automatic irrigation systems, ice machines and using water wisely indoors and outdoors.

An update will be provided as soon as new information becomes available. To monitor updates online, please visit www.facebook.com/KauaiDOW.

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